GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3109
ANSWERED ON:13.12.2006
FOUR LANING OF NH-3
Pingle Shri Devidas Anandrao

Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has sanctioned four laning of NH-3 from Gonde to Pinpalgaon Section of Mumbai-Agra Road;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Detailed Project Report (DPR) has been approved by the National Highways Authority of India for this project; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the time frame for fixing concessionaire for this Project?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) & (b) Yes, Sir. Government has identified Gonde-Pimpalgaon Section of National Highway No. 3 for 4/6 laning under National Highways Development Project IIIA on Build, Operate and Transfer basis.

(c) & (d) The Detailed Project Report (DPR) for this stretch is in advance stage of completion. After completion of DPR, the award of the project (fixing of concessionaire) will depend upon the clearance of the project by Public Private Partnership Appraisal Committee (PPPAC), approval of the Government and response of the bidders.